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Attachments: 3518 Bioassay locs meeting reference criteria LSM 102908.pdf

behavioral endpoint review memo final 103008.pdf

Criteria for Identifying Reference Sediment Samples memo final.pdf

## Hi Eric,

When we met on Monday I committed to providing the written description of the behavioral endpoint review effort LWG implemented for resolving the TRV benthic derivation values, including the specific studies we propose using for benthic TRV derivation. I also committed to providing a written description of the slight clarifications to the MacDonald bioassay reference station selection methodology including a map with specific proposed reference station locations. As you requested, LWG has included proposed reference stations within the Study Area. The two written clarifications and the figure are attached. As you know, these are time critical decisions for the project and it is my expectation is that EPA will confirm these resolutions so that the LWG can consider them complete and initiate the related RI and risk tasks.

Thank you,

Bob